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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

FIRST-NAMED INVENTOR OR

GREGORY R. CHIKLIS

APPLICATION IDENTIFIER:

For:

NUCLEIC ACID AMPLIFICATION CONTROLS

October 17, 2001 Boston, Massachusetts

Box PATENT APPLICATION Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

REQUEST FOR FILING A NEW NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b)

1.	This is a request for filing a new nonprovisional application under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b).					
2.		Specification and Drawings (Total pages: 45); Specification (34 pages); Claims (10 pages); Abstract (1 page); and Drawings: 0 sheets; FIGS. 0. Formal Informal				
3.	\boxtimes	Declaration and Power of Attorney				
		☐ Unsigned☑ Signed				
4.		Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)				
		Copy of IDS and PTO-1449 (pages) Copies of references cited				
5.		Assignment Papers				
		Recordation Form Cover Sheet (PTO–1595) Assignment Document				
6.		Statement Claiming Small Entity Status				
		Claiming Small Entity As Independent Inventor (37 C.F.R. §§1.9(f) & 1.27(b)). Claiming Small Entity As Small Business Concern (37 C.F.R. §§1.9(f) & 1.27(c)). Claiming Small Entity As Nonprofit Organization (37 C.F.R. §§1.9(f) & 1.27(d)).				

APPLICATION IDENTIFIER:

Request for New Nonprovisional Application (37 C.F.R. §1.53(b))

7. Fee Calculation

CLAIMS AS FILED									
Claims	Number Filed	Basic Fee Allowance	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee 37 C.F.R. 1.16(a) \$710.00				
Total Claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(c))	69	- 20 =	49	\$18.00	\$882.00				
Independent Claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b))	7	- 3 =	4	\$80.00	\$320.00				
Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any (37 C.F.R. 1.16(d))				\$270.00					
SUBTOTAL:		\$1912.00							
	Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity:		- \$						
			TOTAL	FEE:	\$1912.00				

8. A check in the amount of \$1912.00 is encl	osed.
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 \boxtimes 9. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit overpayments or charge the following fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Ref. No. 19383-014:

Fees required under 37 C.F.R. §1.16; Fees required under 37 C.F.R. §1.17; Fees required under 37 C.F.R. §1.18.

- \boxtimes 10. Return Receipt Postcard Enclosed.
- 11. Other Documents Enclosed: Check for \$ 40.00 for recordation of assignment.

Dated: October 17, 2001

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Respectfully submitted.

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